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Prior U.S. Application(s)

<u>09/774,203</u>	<u>January 29, 2001</u>	<u>pending</u>
(Application Serial No.)	(Filing Date)	(Status) (patented, pending, abandoned)
<u>09/632,366</u>	<u>August 3, 2000</u>	<u>pending</u>
(Application Serial No.)	(Filing Date)	(Status) (patented, pending, abandoned)
<u>09/608,408</u>	<u>June 30, 2000</u>	<u>pending</u>
(Application Serial No.)	(Filing Date)	(Status) (patented, pending, abandoned)

Prior PCT Application(s) Designating the U.S.

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Prior Foreign Application(s)

Priority  
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Prior Provisional Application(s)

			<u>Priority Claimed</u>	
<u>60/180,312</u> (Number)	<u>US</u> (Country)	<u>04 February 2000</u> (Day/Month/Year Filed)	[X] Yes	[ ] No
<u>60/207,456</u> (Number)	<u>US</u> (Country)	<u>26 May 2000</u> (Day/Month/Year Filed)	[X] Yes	[ ] No
<u>60/234,687</u> (Number)	<u>US</u> (Country)	<u>21 September 2000</u> (Day/Month/Year Filed)	[X] Yes	[ ] No
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